

Stay Informed!

Products Issued by the National Weather Service

Winter Storm Watch:

- ❄ Issued when there is a possibility for severe winter weather in approximately 12 to 48 hours. Stay tuned to local media for updates.

Winter Weather Advisory:

- ❄ Issued in advance of winter weather events that may cause significant inconvenience, but are not life-threatening if caution is exercised. Events include:
 - ✓ 3 to 6 inches of snow with sustained winds less than 20 mph
 - ✓ A mix of freezing and frozen precipitation
 - ✓ Blowing snow intermittently reducing visibilities to $< \frac{1}{2}$ mile
 - ✓ Drifting snow that closes roads
 - ✓ Sleet accumulations $> \frac{1}{2}$ inch
 - ✓ Accumulations of freezing rain or freezing drizzle $> \frac{1}{2}$ inch

Winter Storm Warning:

- ❄ Issued in advance of winter weather events that may result in death, injury, or significant damage. Events include:
 - ✓ More than 6 inches of snow in < 12 hours
 - ✓ 8 inches or more of snow within a 24 hour period
 - ✓ A significant mix of freezing and frozen precipitation (e.g. several inches of snow with freezing rain)
 - ✓ 3 to 6 inches of snow with sustained winds/ frequent gusts > 20 mph

Blizzard Warning:

- ❄ Issued when the forecast calls for sustained winds or frequent gusts near 35 mph or more, and considerable falling and/or blowing snow which frequently reducing visibilities to near $\frac{1}{4}$ mile or less, for 3 hours or more.

Ice Storm Warning:

- ❄ Issued when freezing rain is forecast to produce a significant coating of ice, typically $> \frac{1}{4}$ inch thick